



**Board and Commission
Vacancies
January – June 2016**

Thank you for applying to serve on one of Nebraska's many boards and commissions. On behalf of the people of Nebraska, we deeply appreciate your willingness to serve our state. The inscription over the north entrance to our State Capitol is a valuable reminder of engaged citizens like you: "The Salvation of the State is Watchfulness of the Citizen." Working together, we can build a state government that creates an environment that will grow Nebraska and move our state forward.

Please review the opportunities available and consider applying for an appointment.

Sincerely,
Pete Ricketts
Governor

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Application at: <https://governor.nebraska.gov/board-comm-reg>

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January

Nebraska Coalition for Juvenile Justice – Term: 3 years – Meets Quarterly

Data Analysis

Regional Behavioral Health Authority

April

Professional Practices Commission – Term: 3 years/Limit 2 – Meets quarterly

Secondary Classroom Teacher (1)

Higher Education

ServeNebraska/Nebraska Volunteer Service Commission – Term: 3 years – Meets quarterly

Requires balance of Political Parties

Additional Member (4)

Volunteer Sector

Community Based Agency

Member

May

Commission on Latino-Americans – Term: 3 years – Meets Quarterly

Member (3)

June

Children's Commission – Term: Terminates 6/30/2019 – Meets: Quarterly

Biological Parent of child previously or currently involved in child welfare system or juvenile justice system
Director of Child Advocacy Center
Eastern/ NFC or Collaborative
Community Representative/Northern

Tourism Commission – **Legislative Confirmation – Term: 4 years**

ONE OF THE BELOW BUSINESSES MUST BE FROM EASTERN NEBRASKA

Nebraska Hotel/Motel Association
Business w/Majority of Revenue from Out of State
Game and Parks Commission Rep
Nebraska Association of Convention and Visitors Bureau
Business w/Majority of Revenue from Out of State Visitors

Women's Health Initiative Advisory Council – Terms: 3 years/Limit 2 – Minimum of twice a year

OBGYN
Community Rep- District 3
Pediatrician
State Health Volunteer
Mental Health
UNMC Rep
APRN
Epidemiologist

New Boards Created during 2016 Legislative Session

Commission on Military and Veterans Affairs –Terms: 4 years, staggered during initial appointment – Meets: Twice a year - October 1 Start Date

Three residents of the State of Nebraska, one from each congressional district. At least one of the three residents shall have current or prior military experience and at least one shall have a background in business. – Appointed by the Governor – One serves for 2 years, One serves 3 years and one for 4 years terms start October 1.

Riparian Vegetation Management Task Force – Terms: Not Specified – Meets: Not specified

The members shall include

- 1) one surface water project representative from each river basin that has ever been determined to be fully appropriated pursuant to section 46-714 or 46-720 or is designated as overappropriated pursuant to section 46-713 by the Department of Natural Resources;
 - a) Niobrara, White River and Hat Creek (in the Niobrara-White NRD)
 - b) Middle Platte, North Platte, and South Platte
 - c) Republican
- 2) one surface water project representative from a river basin that has not been determined to be fully appropriated pursuant to section 46-714 or 46-720 or is not designated as overappropriated pursuant to section 46-713 by the Department of Natural Resources;

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- 3) one representative from the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Environmental Quality, the Department of Natural Resources, the office of the State Forester, the Game and Parks Commission, and the University of Nebraska;
- 4) three representatives selected from a list of at least ten individuals nominated by the Nebraska Association of Resources Districts;
- 5) two representatives selected from a list of at least five individuals nominated by the Nebraska Weed Control Association;
- 6) one riparian landowner from each of the state's congressional districts;
- 7) one representative from the Nebraska Environmental Trust.

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